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In re Patent Application of:

Applicant: Donald Ray Denton, et al.      Art Unit: 1723  
Serial No.: 09/829,714      Examiner: Terry K. Cecil  
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Title: FILTER ELEMENT AND METHOD OF MAKING SAME

**TRANSMITTAL OF APPEAL BRIEF**

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith is an Appeal Brief submitted with regard to the previously-filed appeal for the above application. A credit card payment for \$500.00 is submitted via EFS-Web for submission of the Appeal Brief.

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